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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$810.00 for the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) fee;
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